

5<sup>th</sup> Am writing  
Dear Dr Jackson

I am more than

glad to see you out & so  
merry, of his luck  
and when I had just

learnt the news  
that Egypt was  
about the nati- for

7m - The train (i.e.  
the ferry boat - I leave  
at 8:40 P.M. - land-  
saw - Wed - from foot  
of Lickly St. - Our  
Sam and Lucy go  
there - expect to  
meet you

Yours sincerely  
(Mother) M. C. Thorne

Wade on J. m  
Dear Dr Jackson

I sent a note to offer

admission to you - and

marked "Dr Jackson mis-  
cove." Upon the

line for ~~you~~ - 3<sup>40</sup>

at forty liberty St.

Carnival you will

go - ? Then also on

and your sum as the  
Lakewood Hall - the  
Laurels in the Times -"

I cannot bear to  
see you thus buried  
all day - it is so  
frightful a way - It is  
not my way - I can  
not imagine how  
bereaved you feel -

Send this by Mrs.  
Dyer - immediately

on finding you within  
of his life when the  
marriage - comes off  
I hope to say much in  
Lithfield St. Fleur - &  
remain

Yours truly  
Mr. & Mrs. Thorne

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Dated Lakewood 2/5

To miss Alice C Fletcher

214-First st SE

WTK

Tell Dr Jackson Cankers Clark

forgot to deliver my letter greatly

disappointed, Dissapointed

Mrs Thow

Washington D.C.  
214 F Street, S. E.

Washington D.C.

April 6. 1893.

My dear Dr Jackson

The enclosure came last  
evening and I sent it on at once  
to you. I suppose it explains  
itself.

I went to Petotskey and had  
a very delightful day with  
Mrs. Thorne and then on to Chicago  
where I found Miss Gay & her  
Prof. Patrian. Miss Gay  
returned with me a few days  
hence. and Prof. Patrian said

he needed me in Chicago  
to help him. He has several  
of the Peabody Museum assis-  
tants there & as I am under  
him if he calls I must go.  
That puts an end to my  
hopes Alaska-wise and I  
am sorry for I wanted to  
see more in the land of  
the midnight sun. We  
feel the inspiration of  
glories and the selfish work.  
There is no real joy but in  
helping others. Sometimes we  
have a special choice in the

"others", as for instance my wanting to help  
you put 'em when I am called elsewhere!  
Such is human nature.

My love at home. I find your daughter  
comes and shall be at the Concord 7<sup>th</sup>.

Lincerely your friend  
Alice B. Fletcher.

Washington D.C.

214 Fifth St. N. W.

April 7. 1893.

Dear Dr. Jackson

The enclosure has just reached  
me & I forward at once. The  
letter is evidently for you. I  
am sorry you missed a trip  
with Mrs. Thorne - & I hope you  
can enjoy her hospitality in  
Pittsburg & intend her soon  
in Alaska. When do you  
go away? - sincerely  
Alice C. Fletcher.

el-in-the-Pines,

LAKEWOOD, N. J.

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SUMMER RESORT.

"THE WAUMBEK,"

Jefferson, White Mtns., N.H.

April 6<sup>th</sup>

1893.

Dear Mr. Fletcher

I was greatly annoyed by  
the carelessness of clerks  
in sending back offers -  
of which my mate  
Dr. Jackson gave him  
the hour by telephone  
of bank - when he met  
you - Dr. ~~xx~~ was not  
handed to him when he  
sailed for it - It now  
seems as if Providence  
had done ~~better~~ for him  
than I intended, for in  
such a cold wind and  
considerable snow he  
will have had when  
we are half home and  
I am glad to think it

to warmer in Provo - Brigham  
and know Dr Jackson more  
and also what he has  
done much sooner with more  
time - So it is all for the bush -  
Very regret (selfish)  
that I could not more  
be linked with him of  
his work in Alaska,  
and wish he had a longer  
time - and come down  
and see me in such -  
to Alaska -

By the way, it is  
possible he could  
have let me see  
this for a friend arriv-  
ing across the moun-  
tains from him  
the enclosed for any  
thing he might have  
in his work - if it is  
acknowledged to the B.A.  
(the like to some degree -)  
I wish to get

in-the-Pines,

LAKWOOD, N. J.

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1893.

done thus, "I am a believer  
in prophecies; Pittsburg's "No  
name" But if not  
prophetess let it simply  
go to the wise man  
for no one greater can  
but - that is what I pre-  
fer -

ask this - the salary  
of a married minister  
who occupy the White  
or spoke of White or Broth-  
erhood book in - I had  
one of the neuralgic  
seizures, you remember I  
had, and cannot remem-  
ber - they are less severe now -

If he can wait off our  
with us, say good by and  
God bless him. Once this work  
is off - we can have

Mrs. William Thaw,  
Box 1086.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 10th, 1893.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson, D.D.,  
Indian Bureau, Dept. of the Interior,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Dr. Jackson:

I sent you a telegram on Saturday on my arrival home. As it turned out it was much better that you were prevented from going to Lakewood, as we found the weather rather disagreeable; cold and dusty. We were glad to leave after being there a little over one day. I was much interested in what you wrote of the St. Lawrence Island, and shall be very glad to assume half the cost of the purchase you refer to. I need hardly say that it would give me peculiar satisfaction to divide the responsibility with Mrs. Shepard. The circumstances connected with the death of her husband and of Mr. Thaw were in some respects so similar. Each was separated from his family at the time, and the news of the death was the first intimation to either of us that anything was wrong.

~~as one was another~~  
You suggested in your letter that the station be given the name of Mr. Thaw. In reply I would say that I am quite as opposed to that sort of thing as Mr. Thaw was, and he would never for a moment tolerate the thought of having his name affixed to any institution or place. In one instance only has it seemed fitting to make any exception to this rule, and that was in the case of the "Thaw fellowship" in the Peabody Museum, ~~and~~ made for the benefit of Miss Flet-

cher and at the urgent solicitation of Prof. Putnam. I consented that the name should go together with the fund. But in all church work the name of the giver should be lost for the work's sake. I did not fully understand whether the new missionary of whom you spoke in Dr. Robert's office was to be stationed at this place. If he is to be at the St. Lawrence Island would the Ladies' Executive Committee send the teacher, thus making with the married missionary a little company of three persons. I would be glad if you would write me briefly concerning this, and leave the fuller details of the mission work until you come here on your way to Alaska. Please let me know as long in advance as possible when you expect to stop here, as I shall be obliged to be absent for some three days in Worcester, helping to arrange for the opening of the Home for Children of Foreign Missionaries -

We were all very much interested in the little water-proof garment you sent, and surprised at the neatness of the making.

Trusting that you are recovering rapidly, I remain,

Yours very truly,

ack

Friends Mission Clatsop Apr 17/13  
Rev Sheldon Johnson & C.  
Dear Doctor

Your favor of the 15  
of March

I notice you say something  
about that check for over \$100  
for services which I rendered  
according to instructions  
over a year ago.

May I ask what the math  
can be.

You have not even ac-  
knowledged their receipt al-  
though I sent them to Litter  
by the first steamer as you  
directed.

I have written to you several

Times in regard to the  
matter but you never  
say any thing about it.  
Will you not do me the  
favor to look into the matter  
and send me the money  
before you go with for the  
Seminary? I can ill  
afford to leave so much  
money to the Government  
even should they pay me  
a large interest. How much  
less then when I stand  
in imminent danger of  
loosing it altogether.

It certainly seems to me  
as if the Government is  
more able to pay its just  
debts than I am to pay  
them for it.

Will you please not attend  
to the matter at once.

Our Mission still prospers  
and increases in size and  
consequently the Government  
school also prospers both  
of which facts encourages  
me.

I have heard so often that  
Dr Jackson, Judge Kelly &  
Mr Hamilton is coming  
to see the school and been  
disappointed that I shall  
believe now when the man  
appears.

Mrs Hause and our baby are  
doing nicely.

With the wish that you may  
have a safe and prosperous  
journey to us.

I remain yours truly

W. D. Hause.

to Rev. S. Willard, Worcester.  
Mass.

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April 15. 1893

Philippe spent  
the afternoon  
out in the  
old cemetery  
of St. John and  
walked up hill  
with Colgate. The  
service is - can  
not find by any

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ring on his right  
hand for doing or  
keeping with an  
important foreign  
work in a short  
time - when he  
gives him a number  
of fine & little  
pencils - when when  
he has given him a  
pencil - as he can  
not take it - it is a great

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Ducks fed here & a  
a wigeon & a few birds  
I took you in  
Bob-husk, mother  
swim down today  
egg of nest with  
Cohoes hawks  
to the sea day,  
rocky sun the  
day night, not cold  
but here a while  
in chance of less-

in view of the new  
work.

We are to be at  
work on the Long  
Island about  
June 1<sup>st</sup> probably.  
I will go to  
Pawcatuck to  
see about our  
work and then  
will go to the

San Rafael, Cal.  
April 17, 1893.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson, D.D.,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir: —

In regard to account of "North Star", you stated to me in your letters that if I would do the work & see that the paper was issued, you would pay the bills — i.e. balance ~~reached~~ over subscription rec'ts. I understood that someone had been helping pay bills when Mr. Kelly was in charge — Mrs. Shepard was suggested. Hence, I took your statement & proceeded upon it — paying the past due accts., \$40 to Kenealy, & \$10 to Star Composin Co. as soon as I reached Sth'rn. Then I ran it as economically as possible, hoping to make subscriptions pay whole in about two years' run at least.

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never, it was carefully circulated  
by some one among teachers that  
it did not belong to Board's work.  
Hence, the teachers did not give  
any but mere personal support to  
"tourist" canvass. Yet we secured  
a few from fine boats, by Mr.  
Simson's help. I should have em-  
ployed Henry when he came back,  
but he wanted high wages, and  
said he could not see to set type.  
I told him that when his eyes  
were better, I should like him to try.  
The Alaskan got into difficulty,  
mortgage, &c, & strike of printers.  
This compelled me to use Walter  
Porter, & our own type. I arranged  
for printing to close of year (of  
my commission. Of course, the  
closing out of my connection then  
you know. I had the choice of  
playing to the Austin clique &  
ousting the Kelly people and the  
showing side set. Not being quite  
fool enough to scorched my fingers

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of roasting their chestnuts (old & stale) for them I was released. In other words, the Bd's Comm. had to accept my resignation because the Ais refused to leave the Mission Buildings for a comfortable & separate home which said Comm. desired them to do. The matter & its sequel is a "commentary" upon adaptation of best means to reach desired, <sup>+ desirable</sup> ends as used by Bd's Comm., & Bd. — sufficient. When I left, I gave them, mentally, — twelve months to bring about proper conditions, with entire silence from me. Must close. Am very busy. In my enforced stay here, I have simply been waiting to my training for mission work, & shall re-enter by & bye, with heart as fully fixed as ever. May perhaps build the Sheldon Jackson Home at Juneau or some other named home there, for the rescue of girls. God knows

is needed more than almost anything else there - - for those who have stepped from the path need reclaiming care. ~~However~~, Tourists will support it, too. However, my wife cannot be taken from medical care yet. She will go into hospital for treatment soon and will have special care, costing <sup>She was always very strong but</sup> me considerable & shall need <sup>slaves for the Bd. in the Ind. Ser.</sup> these little amounts. The 13d. paid ~~me~~ left the bal. on Cooper's shop. (Sh. J. Indi. Bdg.) unpaid - i.e. did not pay me.

estate acc't. H. Star. re which I sent you vouchers before I left Sthia.

Yours sincerely,  
Wesley Docking.

The ~~amount~~ price had been before  
cost of paper

\$20 per mo. to Alaskan

& some items as comp. roll.

You see by mine that cost  
of all hardly exceeds \$20 per mo.  
& arrangements were made to  
print at \$12  $\frac{1}{2}$  by using our  
press in future.

She is expected to sail in  
a few days, but I suppose  
a letter will overtake her in  
S.E. Alaska a month hence.  
Will you kindly inform me  
from what point in the North,  
a letter will reach you the latest,  
so that I may write a letter  
to Mr. Henderson, after I hear  
from you.

Ms. Kilbuck and some other  
Moravian Missionaries will  
leave for Bethel about the 1<sup>st</sup>  
of June. The Moravians are  
doing a grand work in Alaska,  
Mr & Mrs Kilbuck and their  
assistants are grand workers.  
Hoping to hear of your making  
another visit to N. W. Alaska this  
spring, and wishing you great success  
in your laudable efforts in behalf of the  
Aborigines there, I remain my true, young  
Lambeth & Sons

Please answer ~~to~~  
your earliest convenience. I can  
do any thing to serve  
you, make do at most  
cheerfully. M. J. C.

415 Montgomery St  
San Francisco April 21<sup>st</sup> 1893

My dear Sir.

I have just received your Report on "Education in Alaska" which I am perusing with great interest.

The Report however is for 1889-90: if there is a later Report, if not too much to ask, can you not send me a copy? I want to keep informed. By this, I am reminded that I have not replied to your letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> November last, which came duly to hand, in reply to one from me, regretting that I had not seen you, as you passed through this City.

I understand from your letter the position of Mr Stevenson, and that he

will probably be reappointed  
missionary and teacher at Point  
Bancor this year.

As I think of it, I more and  
more regret that I did not see  
you here, so that I could ask  
you some explanation of his  
letter, which is a strange mixture  
of Coal, stores, lumber and  
missionary work, and teaching  
and helping living; which I could  
not understand.

He wants also to connect him-  
self with our church here, for  
what reason I cannot under-  
stand. I have no idea that  
the Presbytery of San Francisco or  
Oakland or the Synod of Cal-  
will be disposed to take up  
Point Bancor as a missionary  
field, as they take competing  
interest in missionary work in well

known Missionary fields of our  
own Church. Mr. Stevenson is  
a good man no doubt, and  
personally I would sincerely  
help him and do all I could,  
but he says in his letter to me,  
that he wants it distinctly  
understood that he is a Cumberland  
Presbyterian, and intends to so  
continue.

If a Committee of Mr Geddes & Selby  
were appointed to assist in the  
Point Bancor work and school,  
I do not know what we could  
do, not having any definite  
information as to what is wanted,  
or any money to spend even  
if we did know - as we are  
both as poor as church mice.  
I want to answer Mr Stevenson's  
very rambling, though interesting  
letter, and will do so by the "Bear".

415 Montgomery St  
San Francisco April 22<sup>nd</sup> 1873  
Rev Dr Jackson  
My dear Sir

Since I  
wrote you, acknowledging the re-  
ceipt of your Report on Education  
in Alaska, I have had a very  
interesting conversation with Capt'  
Healy about Alaska, and the  
teachers of the Government schools  
there; and have learned a good  
deal that I did not before  
know. I have read through, the  
Report you sent me, but the  
Captain tells me that a later  
Report has been published;  
which I would like very much  
to get, as I want to learn all  
I can about that interesting region

If possible, I would like very much to have at least half a dozen copies of all the reports you have made, as Commissioner of Education in Alaska.

If you cannot send half a dozen copies, send what you can, and I will make good use of them; placing them in the hands of those who can be awakened to an interest in N. W. Alaska.

I must confess that until I read the Report you just sent me, I knew very little about the history or geography of the North West of our Country.

The Stevenson is called a Presbyterian and other teachers an Episcopal, Catholic, Episc Congregational &c. Now, has Mr Stevenson any connection with our Board of Home, a Foreign Missions, or

of the Cumberland Pres. Churc<sup>h</sup>? The Congregationalist furnish some aid in religious literature to Mr Thackston, and so do the Episcopalians and Catholics to the teachers representing them, as I understand it.

If we knew what Mr Stevenson could use in that line we might do something for him, even though he represents the Cumberland Ch. I am all at sea in this matter — and also in other matters. I do not know what the Government furnishes him, in materials for building, fuel, clothing, books & coal &c. I am wholly at sea. Captain Healy thinks he will not leave Seattle till the latter part of May.

Very truly yours,  
J. W. A. Roberts

Alaska

BUREAU OF EDUCATION, U. S.

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no 21 Rue Vallette  
(Pantheon) Paris.  
April 22-  
1893.

Mr Sheldon Jackson:

Dear Sir:

You may possibly remember the Miss Taylor who spent six weeks at Sitka in the summer of 1889. Since that time I have made a long journey to the Delta of the Mackenzie River. I am much interested in the reindeer, both the domesticated and wild varieties, & I am anxious to secure as much information as possible about them - While in Winnipeg last September I met Mr Knapp & Mr Rostromtanoff, on their way to take part in the opening of the World's Fair. They told me that you were then in Washington & could no doubt tell me or send to me what had been published on the subject, in Washington.

I am sorry to say that, being very  
busy at the time, I neglected to  
write to you about it. I fear  
now that you may already have  
gone to Alaska or are beyond the  
reach of letters for some time. If  
however, this should find you in  
Washington, I should be greatly  
indebted to you if you could  
send me the data published  
about the reindeer since Congress  
first became interested in the  
question. I expect to spend  
the summer in Norway, where I  
shall stay for some time at one  
of the reindeer farms. and I wish  
very much to know all that has  
been published in America re.

Regarding your plan of introducing  
domesticated reindeer into America.

An early answer would  
be appreciated, as the distance

is so great between America &  
Norway and - of course much  
delay in receiving letters. May  
I send my regards to your wife and  
daughter. I remember with much  
pleasure your daughter's painting  
of the Alaska flowers.

Yours sincerely -

Elizabeth Taylor -  
Bennetts  
Co. Tourists Agency -

2018 Torvet.

~~Bergen~~ Bergen -  
Norway -

ack comm

127 Hanson St.

Brooklyn

April 22<sup>nd</sup>

Dear Dr Jackson

In my daughter's  
absence I will reply to  
your note just received.  
Mrs Shepard returned  
last Tuesday from  
Ashville & is now at  
her home 2 West 52<sup>nd</sup> St.  
New York.

The Boys Miss<sup>4</sup> Society  
of Church of the Pilgrims

Lace made quite a  
nice sum for the  
Chapel Le ad Cape  
Prince of Wales -  
Miss Whitcomb wrote  
you inquiring what  
would be the best  
way of appropriating  
it or part of it -  
With hearing from  
you we feared you  
had started on your  
Alaskan trip -

Please advise Roos - & write  
to Miss Whitcomb - as after  
you leave ~~it~~ we shall not  
know what to do —

Yours with most sincere  
kind regards & kindest

Wishes & earnest Rebecca T. Hatch.  
Prayer for the success of the experiences  
now before you -

180 Clinton Street;  
Brooklyn. Apr. 22, '93.

Dr. Jackson.

My dear Sir.

Yours received.

Dr. Sturt has again lectured  
for the Baye Society, and they  
have appropriated blank  
\$350. for the Richard Saller  
Sturt Chapel, Alaska.

They want very much to know  
to what special object it  
may be devoted, for use in  
the chapel, before sending it;

They wish to perpetuate their  
interest in this Chapel.

Mrs. Sturt and I promised  
to write and ask you.

I am ready to trouble you to  
write again, but if we may  
hear, at your early convenience,  
we shall be greatly obliged,  
and can then decide at-  
tire. After hearing from you,  
shall I have the check  
made to your order, and sent  
to Washington, for I think that  
the matter is settled, when  
we may know the object.

Do you go up yourself this  
Summer, and how soon do you  
start? very cordially

Ada P. Williams

# AGREEMENT.

## The Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian Church

IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Box L,  
Station D.

No. 9067

53 Fifth Avenue,  
New York.

To the Rev. Sheldon Jackson, D.D.

The feeble Presbyterian Churches and Congregation s  
of in connection with  
and on the recommendation of the Presbytery of Alaska  
having made application for aid in your support as their Minister, and satis-  
factory evidence of your being in good and regular standing in the Pres-  
byterian Church having been furnished, the Board hereby appoints you a  
**MISSIONARY** to the above-named Church and Congregation ,  
for the term of twelve months from March 1st, 1893, on a Salary  
of twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1200.00), and agrees  
to pay you the same Dollars (\$-----) from  
but what is its treasury, the remainder to be paid by the people among whom you labor.  
is to be deducted from the above amount and reported to the Board.

This Agreement is valid only for the Minister and the field named, and  
was issued by order of the Board, April 25th, 1893.

John Hall D. D.  
President.

W. C. Roberts } COR. SECRETARIES.  
D. J. McMillan

# TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT.

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**First.** You are required, at the end of every quarter (three months) from the date of this Agreement, to forward to the Corresponding Secretaries, a full and accurate report of your ministerial labors; noticing in detail the various departments of your work, and the encouragements and trials connected therewith, together with any facts or suggestions that may be of service to the Board, or of interest to the whole Church.

**Second.** On the reception of your quarterly report, the amount of compensation, for the quarter, as determined by this Agreement, shall be regarded as due; AND AS SOON AFTERWARDS AS THE FUNDS WILL WARRANT, a check for the same will be forwarded to your order by the Treasurer: it being understood that *the payment for the last quarter will be withheld* until the annual contribution required by the "Rules for Congregations" (ART. IV.) has been reported to the Board. **No blanks furnished for quarterly reports.**

**Third.** You are expected to forward to the Secretaries, in time to reach them by the *first of April*, an **annual statistical report** for the fiscal year ending with that date, or such portion of that year as has been spent in the service of the Board, for which a *blank form* will be furnished in due season, exhibiting:—

1. Name of Missionary (in full) and P. O. Address.	12. Number of Scholars connected with same.
2. Name of Church or Churches supplied by you.	13. Number of Church Edifices and their value.
3. Connected with Presbytery of —.	14. Number of Church Edifices built during year and their cost.
4. Number of Stations supplied at regular intervals	15. Number of Church Edifices repaired or enlarged and their cost.
5. Number of Persons received on Profession.	16. Amount of Church Debt canceled.
6. Number of Persons received by Certificate.	17. Have you a Parsonage; if so, what is its value.
7. Whole number of Communicants.	18. Has your field become self-sustaining this year.
8. Average attendance on Public Worship.	19. Names of Churches organized during the year.
9. Number of Baptisms: Adult — and Infant —.	20. Are you a settled Pastor.
10. Number of Sabbath-schools organized by you.	
11. Number of Sabbath-schools on your field.	

 The above questions are for your use in making out your ANNUAL STATISTICAL REPORT in case the Annual Blank should fail to reach you by March 25th, and have NO reference to your QUARTERLY REPORTS.

**Fourth.** All contributions made by the people of your charge to the Treasury of this Board you will please retain, and acknowledge the same in your quarterly report **ONLY**, and request us to deduct the amount from your quarterly payment, when credit will be given to the congregation contributing the same, and the amount will be deducted from your quarterly payment. Credit, however, will not be given until the quarterage is paid. This is safer than to transmit the money by mail.

**Fifth.** This Agreement is for the entire field named, and a failure to preach regularly at any of the places included in it, or the exchanging of one of these fields for another not herein mentioned, renders void the Agreement, and requires a subsequent arrangement between the Board and Presbytery before payment can be made by the Treasurer.

## RULES FOR CORRESPONDENCE.

Letters relating to missionary appointments and other operations of the Board should be addressed to the Corresponding Secretaries, Rev. Wm. C. ROBERTS, D.D., and Rev. D. J. McMILLAN, D.D.

Letters relating to the financial affairs of the Board, or containing remittances of money, should be addressed to O. D. EATON, Treasurer.

Applications for aid from the churches to the Board should be addressed to O. E. BOYD, Recording Secretary.

## FORM OF BEQUEST.

I give, devise, and bequeath unto "The Board of Home Missions of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, incorporated April 19, 1872, by Act of the Legislature of the State of New York," the sum of *Dollars*, to be expended for the appropriate objects of said Corporation.

# Rules of the Board of Home Missions.

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## I.—RULES for MISSIONARIES of the Board of Home Missions.

- I. The grand aim of the Missionary should be to build up the kingdom of Christ, by constant and prayerful labor for the conversion of the unregenerate, the edification of Christians, and the training of the children.
- II. The Missionary must be a member of the Presbytery to which the church or churches under his ministry belong, and he is expected to reside within the bounds of his field of labor.
- III. As soon as it is necessary, the Missionary, after obtaining authority from the Presbytery, will organize a church in every suitable locality where there is not one already, and will see that it is placed at once under the watch and care of the Presbytery to which it naturally belongs. He is urged to avoid interfering improperly with existing organizations, or multiplying churches from mere sectarian considerations.
- IV. As soon as possible, the Missionary will endeavor to secure for each congregation the erection of a suitable house of worship where one does not exist.
- V. He is expected to organize a Sabbath-school wherever it is needed, and, as far as practicable, see that it is supplied with teachers and spiritually cared for.
- VI. He is to cultivate the spirit of benevolence in his people by inducing them to contribute to all the objects recommended by the General Assembly, as the Lord hath prospered them.
- VII. Every congregation receiving aid from the Board is required to take up an annual collection for the same.
- VIII. Under NO circumstances are Missionaries authorized to *draw* upon the *Treasurer*.

## II.—RULES for CONGREGATIONS applying for aid to the Board of Home Missions.

- I. Every organization should endeavor, by effort within itself, or by union with one or more neighboring congregations, to support itself before seeking aid; and when aid is needed, the smallest sum should be asked that will meet the case.
- II. The following particulars should be included in the application, *viz.*:
  1. The NAME and the POST OFFICE ADDRESS of the congregation, and of the MINISTER to be commissioned, with a statement as to whether he is engaged in any other calling than that of the Ministry.
  2. The number of communicants, and the average attendance on public worship.
  3. The denomination and the size of the congregations immediately contiguous, with the distance to their places of worship.
  4. The state of business in the community, the character and condition of the people, the total population of the place, and whether it is increasing, stationary or diminishing.
  5. The TOTAL amount of SALARY which the applicants propose to make up, and the portion of salary which THEY pledge; the arrangements made for securing it; whether they have a parsonage, and if not, what is the probable rent of a suitable residence for the Missionary; whether aid is expected from any other source, and the least amount that will suffice from the Board.
  6. The date *from* which, and the length of time *for* which, aid is desired.
  7. The Presbyterial relations of the congregation and their proposed Minister (none can be aided by the Board who are not in connection with the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church).
8. The application should be signed by the elders, the deacons, and the trustees of the congregation, so far as it has such officers.
9. The application, by special direction of the Assembly, is in all cases to be approved and forwarded by the Presbytery to which the church belongs, or by the Committee of the Presbytery on Home Missions, and the recommendation of Missionaries and the amounts asked for them from the Board must be determined *by ballot*.
10. Applications are to be *renewed* before a new appointment can be made. Renewals should fill all the above requirements, as facts contained in former applications cannot be utilized. With the new application a CERTIFICATE of the Minister is to be furnished, showing that the congregation has fulfilled its former pledge for his support.
- III. Congregations should become self-supporting as soon as possible, and aid should not be continued for a period of more than five years, except for special reasons satisfactory to the Presbytery and the Board.
- IV. Each congregation is aided on condition of its taking up a collection for the Board during the year for which aid is received.
- V. Applications should be forwarded promptly, as the Board, except in extraordinary cases, **will not antedate an agreement longer than two months from the time of the reception of the application at the Mission Rooms.**
- VI. All applications for the renewal of aid shall certify that the Minister is a Pastor, or give reasons satisfactory to the Presbytery why the *pastoral* relation has not been formed.

Glendon Apr. 26<sup>th</sup> 1893

Ans

Kind Sheldon Jackson D.D.

Dear Sir

Mr. Geo. Striley has kindly  
told me that you are to start for  
Alaska on May 2, & that you will be able to  
take your daughter, his wife, better. That  
and when likely to reach her a few days earlier  
than if sent by the June 1<sup>st</sup> whaler.

We are greatly obliged to you for this  
accommodation to us though it must be  
a trouble to you, & we send a tele-  
gram to you care by to day's mail & possibly  
a general of her friends may send letters to you  
care, but most will send by the June 1<sup>st</sup> that  
while some letters must now be waiting at  
Unalaska for the first opportunity.

Should you come by way of the Northern Pacific  
I should be glad to meet you, but as the through train  
passes here at 1 A.M. it would be an awkward time of  
night to be called up by a stranger to you \* I should  
be very glad of a ride between two stations with you  
but you are more likely to go to the coast by a more  
direct route. Yours very truly B. K. McLean

April 27<sup>th</sup> 1893

Dear Captain

If you are ever in  
Chicago and go to the  
Hot Egg - Potato  
House and have  
Breakfast - It must be  
a great treat to have  
Omelets - Help yourself  
and be well soon.  
Be well & a

June, 1863. 1864  
Doubtless you are  
coming to the  
same view with  
me, for you  
will see the  
truth.

Now you will  
say that it is  
a general rule  
that when a  
man and a  
woman are  
of the same age



and - of the main  
life that goes on  
without being  
of concern to  
any one  
else.  
The  
whole  
of us.

~~act~~ Note.

Money sent April 29<sup>th</sup> 93  
to the American Missionary  
Association. S.T.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson D.D.  
My dear Sir.

Enclosed please  
find check \$300. pm  
mr Bays Missionary  
Society, for the Richard  
S. Smit's Chapel, Cape  
Rene of Conlet, Alaska.  
Kindly use at your

suggested in your  
letter.

If possible, we would  
very much like a  
kitchen of the Chapels  
you return. If there  
should be any way, to  
take some dinner people.  
We hope send best wishes  
for all success in the  
work, and for your own  
safe voyage, and pleasant

Summer.

Very sincerely,

Ada P. Whitcomb.

180 Clinton Street,

Brooklyn. April 27. '93.

Willowbrook Auburn, N.Y. N.Y.

LADIES'  
UNION MISSION SCHOOL  
ASSOCIATION.

April 28<sup>th</sup> 1893

My dear Mrs Jackson

I hope this letter may reach you before your dear husband will leave you for the summer. - I sympathize with you and your daughter in the trial of separation from one so dear to you - but you have learned to say - "Jesus at thy command

"We launch into the deep" - It is safe to follow where our Savior leads. - I have read in the N. Y. Evangelist Mr Jackson's tribute to Colonel Elliott-Shepard - and rejoice that his gifted pen has been employed to lay this mouth upon the grave of one to whom I believe, the cause of Christ was dear. - Mr and Mrs Rudoff you called to see me in New York, May

told me of Mr. Shepard's interest in the  
Sierra Mission, and that he prides  
himself in his skill. His certainly  
evinced a deep interest in the cause  
of religion.

But my object in writing to you,  
at this time, is to tell you of my  
making the acquaintance, as I passed  
through New York, of Rev. Dr. Roberts  
of the Board of Home Missions. I was  
invited by my friend the Preacher  
(at whose hospitable home I was entertain-  
ed while in New York) to attend  
a meeting of the Board's Board of  
Foreign Missions on the 19<sup>th</sup> of April  
1873. After the meeting I was intro-  
duced to Dr. Roberts, and had a  
very satisfactory conversation with  
him in reference to Rev. Mr. Cook  
and the Sierra Mission in Arizona.  
Dr. Roberts expressed a deep interest in  
Rev. Cook. Commended his work very  
highly and gave his full consent and  
approval to the publication of the history  
of the Sierra Mission - and made no  
objection to the proposal that all the

profit from the sale of the book should  
be appropriated to Mr. Cook, personally  
me and for the benefit of his fam-  
ily. I felt that I could not proceed  
with the preparation of this work  
for the Press - until I had the  
full consent of the Board of Home  
Missions - not only to publish the  
book, but also to give the proceeds  
to Mr. Cook. On consultation with  
Mrs. Dodge and other friends and  
other friends connected with the New  
York Missionary Society, it was  
decided to have the book printed  
and paid for by subscriptions from  
individuals for a certain number  
of copies. This plan is feasible - as  
I am willing to take the responsibility  
of paying the Printer. I think Mr.  
Shepard, after a while, would be in-  
terested in this work, as she gave us  
one hundred dollars for the school  
at Phoenix Arizona the year ago.  
I have faith in the cause we are all  
trying to promote and shall now  
go forward in the preparation of the  
manuscript for the Printer. I hope

Special Agent in Charge - Bureau of Investigation - Washington, D. C.

I shall be able to give the most full  
from the Mexican train in New York.  
I did all in my power before leaving  
Washington, to procure the appointment  
for another term of service  
of Mr. W. H. Whittman, as Curator  
of the Casa Graciosa Museum - I left  
a letter with the Spanish secretary of War  
Herr. Smith - who said we may  
possibly and wished me to call  
on the Secretary on Saturday - but  
on that day I afterwards learned that  
he had left Washington on a visit  
to his home in Georgia - The last  
time I called a new Spanish Secretary  
was in charge - and with him  
I left my application - The new  
Secretary's name is "Bennett" - I do  
hope that some influence will  
be brought to bear on the secretary  
which will favor Mr. Whittman's  
appointment - and now dear friends  
I can only say "God bless you and bid  
you in all your " and entreat you  
a joyful reunion in the Kingdom - and  
if it be His - in "mortal health" - we  
again both in "home and in Washington  
always" - Your friend & comrade - T. H. Martin

*and*  
MRS. L. G. WHITFIELD, PRESIDENT  
" G. W. SOUTHWELL, REC. SECRETARY,  
" J. B. SHESSLER, TREASURER.

# Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Northwest Iowa Conference.

**Mrs. J. P. Negus,**

Conf. Cor. Secretary.

Inwood, Iowa, 4/28-1893

Rev. Sheldon Jackson  
Genl. Agt. of Ed. in Alaska

Dear Sir

Perhaps you will remember  
of my (Mrs. Negus) talking with you, <sup>at your office in</sup> ~~about~~ husband and myself planning  
to visit Alaska within a year or two.

You may possibly remember me as on  
the Bureau for Alaska in connection with  
Mrs. Daggett.

I at least shall ever remember your  
calm & weighty words of interest in Alaska  
& your kindly explaining to me concerning  
a <sup>tour</sup> voyage to Alaska, your kindness in  
giving me the "Report on Education in Alaska"  
also the map showing stations occupied  
by the different churches there. The Report  
I have & it is a source of pleasure but the map  
was lost together with valuable books & papers  
in one of my trips in the missionary work.  
I greatly miss this map & would be  
very glad to learn where I could obtain  
another like it? and the price? Will you  
be so kind as to inform me, please.

Now as to the trip to Alaska, - as I took no notes of it - I am not certain enough on all those points to warrant depending on memory fully & would trouble you to reply to some questions. —

- 1<sup>st</sup> Is there any book - tourist's guide - that would be useful in explaining points a tourist would wish to know to make a trip easy, most satisfactory & cheap? If so please give name, and where it could be purchased.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> What time of year is best for such a trip?
- 3<sup>rd</sup> " route from here - where take ship?
- 4<sup>th</sup> " line of steamers?
- 5<sup>th</sup> " points would be visited by the steamer?
- 6<sup>th</sup> How long would the trip take?
- 7<sup>th</sup> What would be the expense?
- 8<sup>th</sup> Would the ticket for passage include board?
- 9<sup>th</sup> Could we board from ship while visiting the shore?
- 10<sup>th</sup> Is there any way of visiting the Pribiloff Is. or Yukon river except by consent of Govt. in one of their trading vessels which would necessitate several weeks or months trip?

Please let me hear from you soon as may be as we wish to begin arrangements for taking this trip in 1884 - Your most sincerely

Mrs. J. P. Negus

Rev. Dr. Jackson.

My dear Sir.

Thanks for your  
kind note you received.  
I like very much your  
suggestions about the fund.  
I have sent word to  
Mr. Hatch about it, and  
I think that the check  
will at once be forwarded.

With all best wishes  
for your Summer.

Very cordially.

Ida P. Whitney.

180 Clinton St. Brooklyn.  
April 28. '98.

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2 WEST FIFTY-SECOND STREET.

Dear Mr. Peacock  
I am sending you  
for Florence Will  
+ Flora C. in full  
I hope I will be  
ready to send  
you the \$ 1000  
for the purchase  
of the School house  
of M. Lawrence  
West - if you

the service in  
the cause of the  
Aabor Struggle  
to Government.  
The demands are  
not to be made  
in a hostile  
fashion or disregard  
of the will and  
opinion of the  
people. The  
people of India -  
the people of  
India have lost  
confidence in the  
people with whom

they are  
very discontented. It  
is greatly desired  
that the marine  
and the inland  
troops should be  
allowed to  
have a reward  
for their services.  
The reward -  
is to be given  
in the form of  
pecuniary organiza-  
tional titles.  
The reward is to

W. H. Miller -  
and vicinity  
of which  
is a large  
area of  
the same  
and find myself  
too -  
Kiln Hill  
Tinwood  
and  
the town  
of 22.20

Independence, Kansas.  
April 30<sup>th</sup> 1898.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson

Dear friend,

I am now at my father's, making last preparations for starting on my long journey. My business is about all attended to and I expect to start to Kansas City tomorrow, where I hope to meet the other members of our party. Yesterday I received word that one of my Eskimo boys is down with pneumonia and is pretty sick. I expected to take them both home with me, but this may make some difference in our plans. You may want to see first of the new additions to

our party. I have been pretty  
sick since I last saw you, but  
am now some stronger and  
anxious to get home and  
to my work again.

My father is very anxious  
to have one of those Catholic  
magazines which contain the  
article that says the Protectors  
put the cross their scholars in  
silk and satin, &c. &c.

You remember I saw it at  
your house. I would like to  
have one also but do not  
know where to get them.  
If you could send one to  
San Francisco, I am sure we  
could make very use of it  
in our work. It would be

feel to the ladies who have their children  
at the Catholic school, that they do not always  
tell the truth, with all their boasting.

I must close now. You will see by the above  
, little, how unsteady my nervous are. I am  
anxious to hear how your health is. I have not  
heard any thing since I left you. Does Mr. Cherry  
still intend to go up to Alaska, and will  
you go north before & leave Unalaska?  
Give my kindest regard to Mrs. Jackson and your  
sisters. I will long remember my pleasant  
stay with them. Very sincerely your friend  
With the Kith & Kin.

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MS.  
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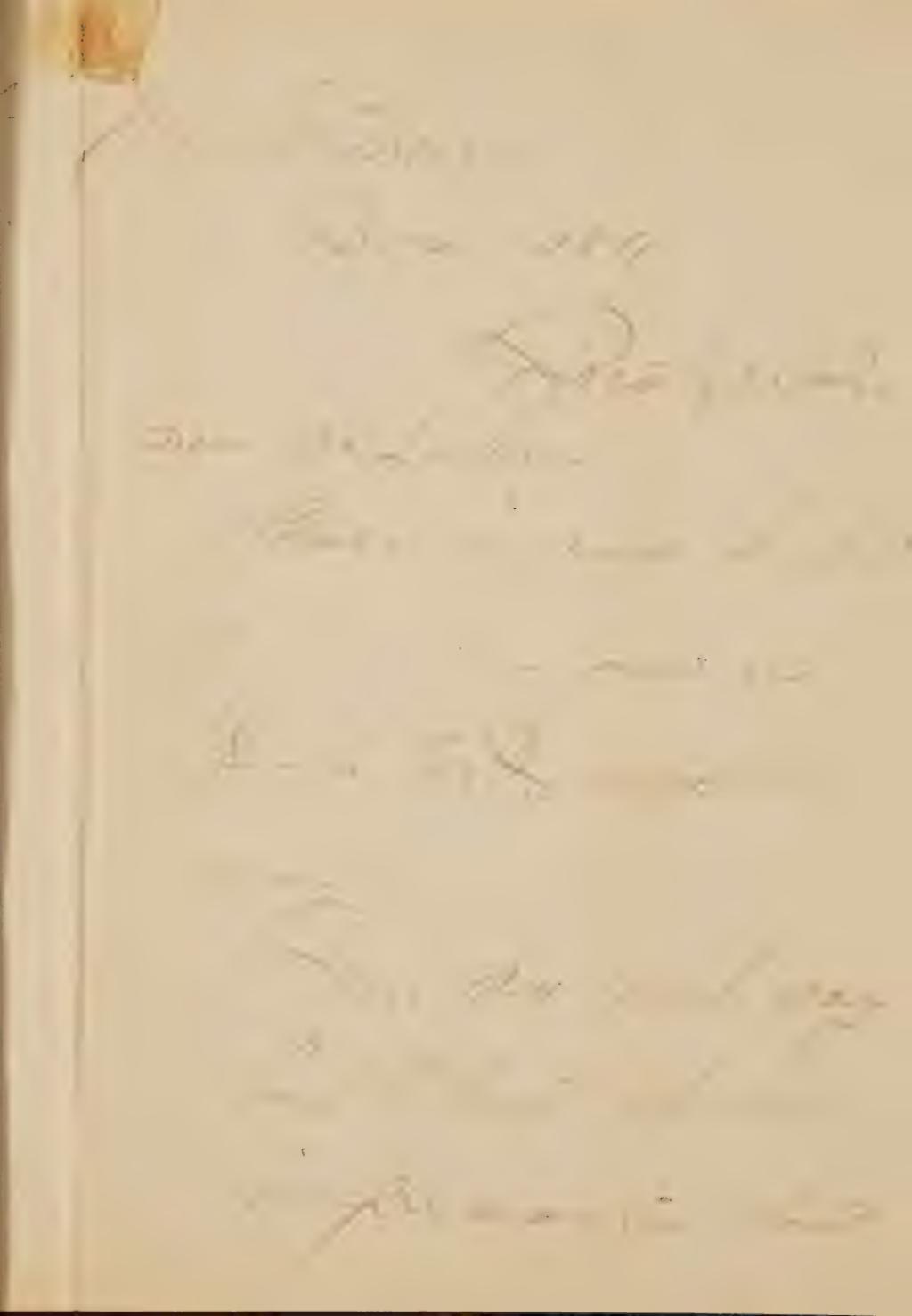
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~~Act~~ East Brookfield, Mass  
May 3. '93.

Dear Dr. Jackson:-

I have just been home to the funeral of my grandmother and so have been delayed a little in writing you about Blanche. Partly for that reason, and partly because circumstances have much changed since I first telegraphed you. Then it was about her future that I wished to consult

and I tell you how she  
had been doing - where she  
is fitted to do Mission  
work &c - where she is  
not, &c - When we were  
at Mrs. Shepard's a year  
ago it was decided that  
she others have a year  
over at the Normal  
& Blanche another year  
at the "Training School"  
leaving the next ship a  
rather indefinite. Blanche &  
is, as all the Alaskans  
are I imagine, rather

fitting - some of the time  
things very nice & then  
getting carried and  
driving - in the while,  
she is a real Christian,  
with earnest purpose &  
a good ability in certain  
things. When the Training  
School came a month ago,  
she was in a rather upset state  
of mind. She is easily  
discouraged & is reserved  
but reticent. Didn't think  
- time she fell as if she  
wasn't fit ever to do

mission work & I'll con-  
fess it seemed about  
that way to me, though  
I tried to encourage her.  
No plan for the future  
seemed satisfactory to her  
or in my own thought - I  
kept praying for God's guidance  
& finally telegraphed for  
you. Since then, her spirit  
has been better, but she  
is ill & I think that  
she was physically all  
tired out before & that  
barely accounted for her  
other invalid feelings. Al-

hi close of the Training  
School she had a brief  
Pax trip - which I did  
not know about till a  
few weeks later. She  
had the day off - but did  
not seem to get over it  
well. She boarded a  
bus in the village,  
while waiting to see what  
was right & best for her  
to do next - There seemed  
to be no good home for  
her, & she wasn't in a  
condition to be in the  
liminary for work - I decided

Emma & Draynard Hall very quickly became  
when I came ~~to~~ ~~to~~ pretty well affected - & is  
have her under my im- if little now. She has  
mortal care & took out excellent care - but now  
for her, but in mind & & air - & they hoped that  
is body will than when the serum would avert  
she was outside. But & have nothing seems -  
then her lungs began & She came up here just  
little in - & the Dr. was on week ago, but <sup>again</sup> contrary  
called. She was taken to - & her hope is more -  
Bellevue Hospital where the Dr. wishes another  
she has the care of one Dr. in consultation & I  
trained nurse. She had done authorized him &  
& still has a little fever now - He will do no  
no appetite - & on lung today or tomorrow at the latest.

I will write you again  
soon - but wanted to send  
you this at once, as  
that you may know  
just how things are -  
feel as if you were the  
only one whom I can  
consult - & if after this  
consultation of the physician  
it seems likely I be  
anything serious, I shall  
need your advice as to  
what to do. I suppose  
all the Alaskan girls have  
tendencies toward tiny blisters

but this in Blanchie's case  
seems to have developed  
very quickly. She knew  
that her lungs were not  
very strong & she was  
narrow-chested, but had  
not had any trouble with  
them until about 2 wks.  
ago. She also seems to  
have some heart-trouble -  
but I had never known  
of that until since her  
lungs began to trouble -  
She gets rather tired  
about midday & worries  
lest she be "awfully sick"

She is having the best of care - & I shall try to be with her as much as my other duties will allow, so that she will not get too lonely - She will naturally get depressed - for she is inclined to go to extremes to be either depressed or hilarious & careless -

I will write you again after the consultation - She is a dear girl & I hope for favorable results - Yours very sincerely - Adeline F. Potter

Corresponding Secretaries,  
REV. M. E. STRIEBY, D.D.  
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# American Missionary Association,

BIBLE HOUSE, NINTH STREET AND FOURTH AVENUE.

New York, May 3 1893.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson, D.D.,  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Brother: -

Enclosed please find receipt for \$300, the contribution of the Boys' Miss. Soc. of the Church of the Pilgrims, Brooklyn, N.Y.-a special contribution for supplying seats, desks, and stove for the Richard Salter Storrs Chapel at Cape Prince of Wales, Alaska. We thank you for securing the fund and remitting it.

I have a long letter from Mr. McLellan in regard to supplies, &c. In the course of his letter he says: "Will you pay Mr. Lopp's orders this year? Their bills will be about \$700 or \$800 each." By this year does Mr. McLellan mean the year to come, and, if he does, why should we pay them, as he is, as we understand, to leave our service.

Mr. McLellan writes about the lumber, &c. that was left over, and says that he

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New York, May 3 1893.

has written to you about it. If there is anything that we need to know about it from your standpoint, please inform us ~~about it~~ before you go.

McClellan has recommended once or twice the purchase of a launch for the use of the missionaries, which, if new, would cost about \$400; a second hand one probably half that. Is such a vessel worth its cost?

The most encouraging part of Mr. McClellan's letter is the hope that he gives that a Rev. Mr. Eddie and his wife of Oakland may go out as our missionaries. McClellan speaks of him in the highest terms. Do you know anything about him?

Very sincerely yours,

M. E. Strieby

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May 4<sup>th</sup> 93

William Jackson Dix

Dear Mr. Bennett  
Washington to send in  
small \$ 1000 to  
the Anti-Slavery So-  
ciety - It is eas-  
ier to do now than  
to wait & pay  
the postage -

What is the best  
form of sofa?  
What are the  
best colors for  
the walls?  
I hope you will  
be able to give  
me the names  
of the following  
two articles.  
Sofa, Bureau  
Chair and Bed.

and the eggs  
are now laid  
and go to the ocean.  
Dolphins to be seen  
in the Maldives  
sections, I am bound  
and bound to the  
island as the  
Fiji Islands.  
There are  
now 30000  
and a great many



*act*  
East Northfield, Mass.  
May 5- '93.

dear Dr. Jackson:-

The Dr. authorizes  
me to tell you this about  
Blanche. The physician who  
was here yesterday, & also  
another who happened in a  
day or two ago, confirm Dr.  
Hinde's diagnosis that she  
has "plethora with effusion".  
The pleura seems to be  
about  $\frac{2}{3}$  filled with serum.  
They attempted to aspirate

yesterday but did not  
runn anything. Blanche  
made a little fuss about  
it and got rather nervous,  
so they did not keep on  
running but will wait a day  
or two & then try again. Dr.  
Wood says that if it  
were any one else he  
would think that she  
would probably get well  
all right after awhile -  
but since she is probably  
subjected to such trouble,

he cannot tell. Evidently  
it was a light touch  
of La Grippe which in its  
after results has settled  
in the weakest place in  
the lungs (left is all right)  
& may or may not prove  
serious - cannot tell yet.  
She will continue to have  
good care - & I suppose we  
will simply have to await  
further developments.

I shall be visiting Mrs.  
Shepard today, and will  
tell her about it. In the

name of Alga & Blanche,  
be sent. Mrs. Shepard sent  
a bullock yesterday.

Blanche is inclined to  
get discouraged & think she  
is worse than she is - so we  
try to keep her cheerful. She  
feels very much better - &  
I shouldn't consider her  
very ill - except that we  
now are a little uncertain  
whether it will be serious  
or not.

Yours very sincerely,

Adeline C. Petter.  
There is a little heart-trouble,  
but we hope it will pass away soon.

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To Rev Sheldon Jackson  
Br of Education

Has Mrs Shaw sent you  
 one thousand received that amount  
 from her today  
O D Eaton

Olga Hilton

... of mine, but I did  
know you and that you were  
going to the Northland  
land, with a little south  
of the frozen lands.

Do you always take  
your Hitha friends on your  
way up or down? When  
you are in town, usually  
you come to them like  
and tell them that when  
you have time to go  
to town, then, if you  
want to come to town  
with them, you are welcome.

Rev A. E. Austin

Sitka Alaska May 9<sup>th</sup> 1893

Rev Sheldon Jackson D.D.

Dear Bro.

Your letter containing  
ck for \$154 to pay bill of Mr  
Brady's reached me safely  
and surprised me a little  
too. I sent you a little state-  
ment not long since, show-  
ing that I owed you a small  
balance on cottage account.  
However I have placed the  
ck to your credit. I am sorry  
to hear of your illness, and  
hope you are fully restored  
to health now. I am sorry  
you have to go to the Arctic  
again this summer I  
think you have already

done your full duty to Alaska  
and that you are now  
entitled to make the acquaint-  
ance of your family and  
enjoy their society the remain-  
der of your days. I thank  
you for the report you so  
kindly sent me. I was greatly  
interested in it. I am great-  
ly disappointed to hear  
that you are not coming  
this way this spring. So  
much odds against your  
coming this way next October  
I fear. Judge Peckinpah is great-  
ly disappointed in not being  
able to get to the bird assembly.  
Mrs Austin writes with me in  
sending much love to you  
& yours. Roscncks wife was buried  
April 24<sup>th</sup> She seems to feel it very kindly.  
Yours sincerely, W. Austin.

East Northfield, Mass-

May 9, '23

Dear Dr. Jackson:-

Blanche <sup>is</sup> much  
better and really is  
better, Dr. I hope that  
she will be in her  
usual health soon.

I am going away  
so soon that I want  
to ask your advice  
about the best place  
for Blanche, for another

Dear Mrs. Inslee wrote  
to me if she were fitted  
for it, that might  
be a place for her at  
Wrenzell another year,  
with Mrs. Willard. I believe  
Blanche isn't fitted to  
go yet in character or in  
scholarship. My thought-  
is this: As soon as she  
is able, a very amiable  
lady in Conn. who has taken  
an interest in Blanche, has  
invited her to her home  
for a visit. It is possible  
that she may take a  
few boarders during the  
summer, & will be glad  
to have Blanche help her  
work for wages for a few  
weeks during the summer  
if so. I think it a good  
plan. The work will be  
good for Blanche, and  
this lady is middle-aged  
& a beautiful Christian - also  
interested in Blanche's best  
good. In Litchfield I have  
planned for her to come  
back to the Leminary  
for a year. She has had  
less of study than the  
others, you know, because  
she has given her attention

Household Science &c. and  
I think that a year  
I could study here would  
be of great value to her.  
At the end of that time  
I should think she might  
be able to go to Alaska.  
I do not think she  
would be able to take  
the Normal training any-  
where, do you? Olym is  
doing nicely.

I have had to write  
this very hastily - but I  
hope you can get the  
thought & will answer  
before you leave.

Blanche continues to improve. Was glad to receive your letter -

Hope your trip will be successful and pleasant.

Yours very sincerely,

Adeline F. Pittie.

and feel it  
the duty to give you  
our best regards  
and of the kind  
you & the  
winners before  
you & when I  
have.

How you will  
feel, home with  
a widow!

Eliza's own  
for the benefit  
of & of you  
most sincerely  
Johnstone Kendall

ack

Mr Henry Kendall  
S

E. Raymond  
Dear Sirs  
May 10, 1848.

Dear Sirs & Friends

It is a pleasure  
to have you  
call to speak  
you again and  
again, our annual  
you have a report of  
what you did to  
the State of  
Massachusetts,  
shows the first

Dear Son Harry  
I will be in the  
Midwest this  
fall & winter,  
so why is more  
easier to come to  
such a late time  
I expect to be  
there.

Why do you not  
the living grace  
your daughter  
mentioning me  
and yourself  
to me?

Yours always

the Midwest this  
we will have the  
leisure around the  
City, & when we had  
time to sit down & have  
a meal to eat our dinner,  
thinking it was a  
good thing to do.  
to the other side  
to write well &  
longer we have  
in Washington.  
I also hope you  
will be consider-  
able help to me  
to do up this way.

W.H.

May 10, 1893

Evanston Ill  
310 Ridge Avenue.

Dear Dr. Jackson -

I am always  
greatly interested in  
tracing out Edward  
Macfarlan and am  
much pleased at  
the prospect of seeing  
him now. His family  
will take pleasure  
in sending you their  
best regards. Father is  
towards his eightieth  
next year.

Received the books  
you kindly sent and  
was much obliged  
for them.

I will send you  
a check, whenever  
you from you -

Very truly yours,  
Margaret L. Harker

Waukegan, Ills.

May 10<sup>th</sup> 1893.

Mrs. Mrs. Mc Phae  
Decy. 14<sup>th</sup> - 1893.

expressed in no  
language but my own  
to pay my respects  
and sympathies

With earnest  
wishes for you  
only a kind  
enclosure to  
you from our  
Family Library  
with love

(COPY )

Pittsburgh, Pa.,

May 14th, 1893.

Dear Dr. Jackson,-

Accept the enclosed, to be used in any way you please. It goes with the highest appreciation of your great work. I can express in no adequate way how your self-denying course impresses me.

With earnest wishes for your safety and health and return to your home, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) M. C. Thaw.

Miss Margaret S.  
Watson

Evanston Ill.

310 Ridge Avenue.

May 15, 1893.

Dear Dr. Jackson -

I enclose  
the check for twenty  
for Dallas<sup>20</sup> which  
will be forwarded to  
Edward Macdonald  
Express Agent here  
Yours -

With best wishes  
for a safe and most  
successful trip, when  
you, kindly grant

Evanston Ills. Margaret. Watson  
May 15<sup>th</sup> 1893.

✓ Ack  
✓ Check  
✓ returned

71 East 87<sup>th</sup> Street  
New York City, May 24.

\$10.

Miss Frances C. Challenor

Rev. Sheldon Jackson

Dear Sir

The Sunday  
School of the 1<sup>st</sup> Pres'ly  
Episcopal Church  
of this city, Rev.  
Wm G. Sabine ~~the~~  
pastor have  
voted ten dollars

visit Mr. Marcus L. Cherry in  
getting surgical instruments for  
his medical work in the Alaskan  
Islands. I have not his address  
and so apply to you - I am not  
sure whether I am right in  
sending the check to you, but  
ear Mr. Cherry may be in  
Alaska already and could not  
get a check cashed very easily.  
Perhaps it should <sup>have</sup> been sent  
to Rev. Chas. W. Sheldon - I do not know.

If you send the  
money to Mr Cherry  
Kindly explain where  
it comes from as  
I believe he wrote to  
Dr Sabine in reference  
& it + only giving an  
address up to May 5<sup>th</sup>

I am sorry for  
the trouble this will  
give you -

Truly yours  
(Miss) Frances C. Hallmor

SHELDON JACKSON,  
General Agent of  
Education for Alaska.

Department of the Interior,  
Bureau of Education,

ALASKA DIVISION,

Washington, D. C., May 26, 1893.

Dear Doctor:

I enclose a letter from Miss Frances C. Challenor, Treasurer, Sunday School of First Reformed Episcopal Sunday School, New York, sending check for \$10 to aid Mr. Cherry.

I have acknowledged the receipt of the check and have informed Miss Challenor that I had forwarded the letter and check to you. <sup>125</sup>

Very truly yours,

William Hamilton

ack  
Sept 27<sup>th</sup>

Killisnoo, Alaska  
May 29, 1893.

Rev. Sheldon Jackson,  
Dear Brother:-

I have but recently learned that my letter of dismissal from Monmouth Presbytery N.J. which I sent to you at Washington last spring has never been forwarded to this Presbytery (Alaska). Please give it your immediate attention & forwarded it at once that I may be enrolled.

Our work here is progressing - not so rapidly as we might wish

but nicely. We are en-  
couraged through the  
blessings of God and  
our happy here in His  
work.

Mrs. Jones joins  
me in very kindest re-  
gards to yourself.  
Very truly yours  
D. F. Jones